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For : INTEGRATIVE RISK MANAGEMENT
SYSTEM AND METHOD

Docket No.: S85.12-0001

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**PETITION FOR FOUR-MONTH EXTENSION OF
TIME AND FEE**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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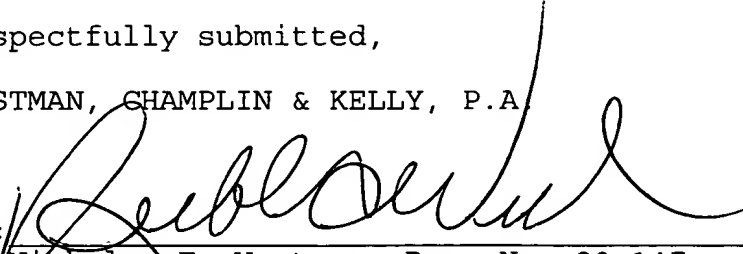
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a four-month extension of time to respond to the Notice of Missing Parts dated November 14, 2001. Enclosed is a PTO Form 2038 in the amount of \$720.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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